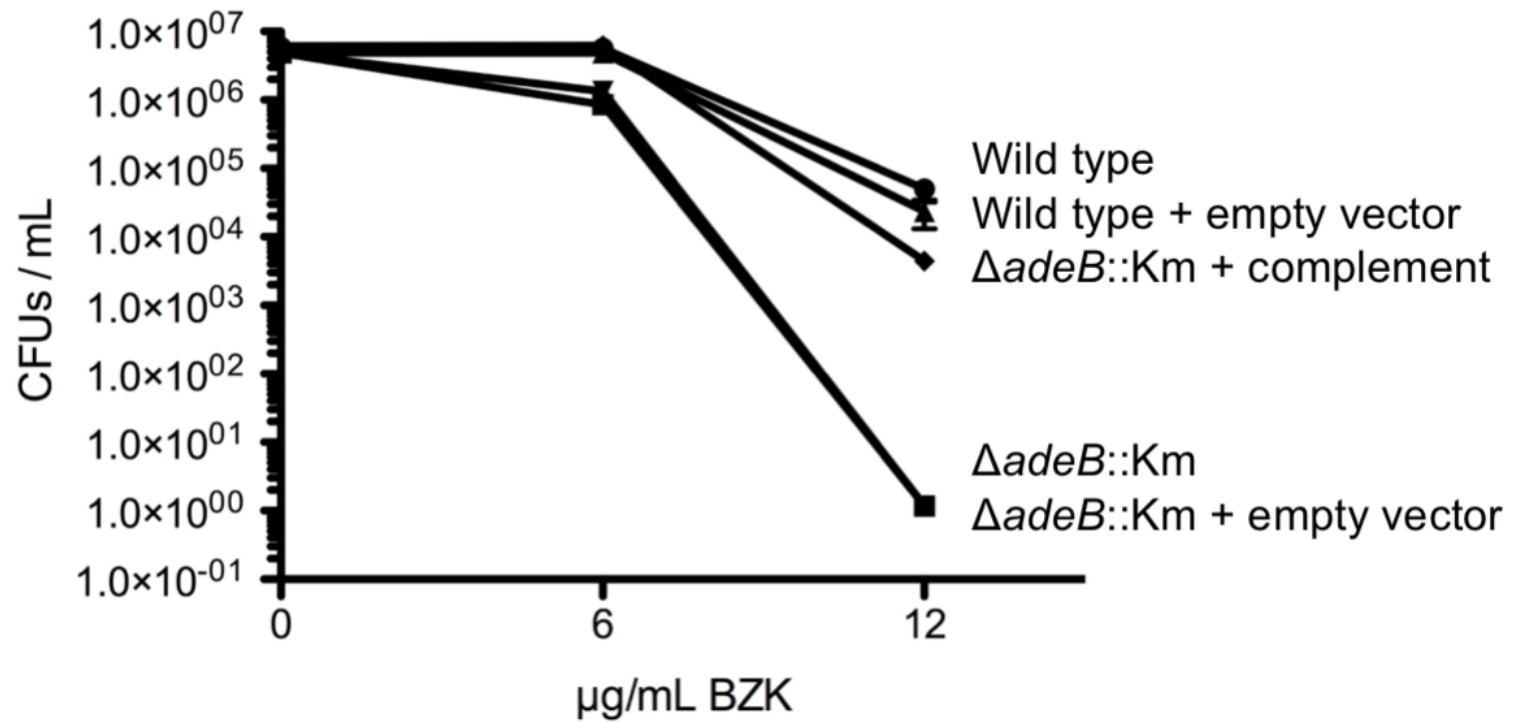


**Figure S2.**



**Figure S2.** Plating efficiency of *A. baumannii* wild type (parental) and  $\Delta adeB$  mutants on increasing concentrations of BZK agar. At 12µg/mL the wild type strain showed a higher plating efficiency;  $p < 0.05$  unpaired two-tailed Student's *t* test. At 12 µg/mL the wild type+vector strain showed a higher plating efficiency than mutant+vector, but not the complemented strain;  $p < 0.05$  One-way ANOVA, Tukey post test.